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DETAILED ACTION

This Office action is responsive to communication received 01/30/2006 – Response.

The reply filed on 01/30/2006 is not fully responsive (see 37 CFR 1.111) to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

The amendment received 01/30/2006 does not comply with 37 CFR §1.173. Specifically, each change made in the claim must be accompanied by an explanation of the support in the disclosure of the parent for the change. In this case, on page 4 of the "REMARKS", the applicant notes the change that is proposed for each of claims 8 and 9, but fails to provide an explanation of the support in the disclosure of the parent for these changes. Applicant should explain the changes made as per 37 CFR §1.173(c). See MPEP Section 1453, page 1400-58 (Original Eighth Edition, August 2001, Latest Revision August 2006) and the section styled, "Amendment of New Claims".

In addition and before the application can be allowed, the amendment to the claims will necessitate a supplemental declaration pursuant to 37 CFR §1.175(b)(1) covering the changes made. A supplemental oath/declaration need not be submitted with each amendment and additional correction. Rather, it is suggested that the reissue applicant wait until the case is in condition for allowance, and then submit a cumulative supplemental reissue oath/declaration. See MPEP Section 1444.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given

ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid

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abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Sebastiano Passaniti whose telephone number is 571-272-4413. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday (6:30AM - 3:00PM).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Eugene L. Kim can be reached on 571-272-4463. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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